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## **GORHAM MAN INDICTED CHARGED WITH ARMED BANK ROBBERY**

Edward E. McNally, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Illinois, announced today that on March 8, 2006, **MICHAEL C. DAILEY**, age 30, of Gorham, Illinois, was indicted by a Federal Grand Jury sitting in Benton, Illinois, in a one-count indictment, charging him with armed bank robbery. The violation is alleged to have occurred on November 26, 2005, in Gorham, Illinois. An indictment is a formal charge against a defendant. Under the law, a defendant is presumed to be innocent of a charge until proved guilty beyond a reasonable doubt to the satisfaction of a jury.

The offense carries a penalty of up to 25 years' imprisonment, a fine of up to \$250,000, and a term of 5 years' supervised release. **DAILEY** is being held without bond pending a May 15, 2006, jury trial.

The investigation was conducted by the Jackson County Sheriff's Office, Illinois State Police Crime Lab, and the United States Marshal's Service pursuant to their participation in the Jackson County Project Safe Neighborhoods Initiative. The Federal Bureau of Investigation also participated in the investigation.

The case is assigned to Assistant United States Attorney Amanda A. Robertson for prosecution.